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NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495):

- Priority Document
- Copy of the International Application filed on 02/22/2002
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 02/22/2002
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 02/22/2002
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 02/22/2002
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 02/22/2002
- Oath or Declaration filed on 02/13/2003
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 02/22/2002
- Copy of references cited in ISR filed on 02/22/2002
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 02/22/2002
- Priority Documents filed on 02/13/2003

Applicant's response filed 02/13/2003 is hereby acknowledged. The following requirements set forth in the NOTIFICATION of MISSING REQUIREMENTS mailed 02/05/2003 have not been completed.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
 - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.
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Applicant is required to complete the response within a time limit of ONE MONTH from the date of this Notification or within the time remaining in the response set forth in the Notification of Missing Requirements, whichever is the longer. No extension of this time limit may be granted under 37 CFR 1.136, but the period for response set in the Notification of Missing Requirements may be extended under

37 CFR 1.135(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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